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FOR: APPARATUS, METHOD AND PROGRAM FOR CONVERTING STRUCTURED DOCUMENT

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

The undersigned appreciatively acknowledges the courtesy extended by Primary Examiner Reis, by holding an interview with the undersigned on September 23, 2008. During the interview, independent Claim 1 was compared with the reference <u>Callahan</u>. One distinction that was made between <u>Callahan</u> and Claim 1, in addition to the previous discussions on the record regarding <u>Callahan</u> disclosing an "intermediate file", was that applicants invention can work with multi-media content, and not merely documents. It was agreed that applicants would file a supplemental amendment with the claim amendment directed to the multi-media aspect as discussed above.

Respectfully submitted,

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